

Research.gov Desktop Getting Started Guide

The new **Research.gov Desktop** is an intuitive and flexible online workspace that is designed to provide NSF staff with a "go-to" resource to find tools and information to help them conduct mission-critical business throughout the proposal and award management lifecycle.

This is just the beginning for the **Research.gov Desktop**. Find Reviewers and What We Do, the initial staff tools available through the **Research.gov Desktop**, illustrate the kinds of exciting tools and services that are possible with the Desktop's modern technology environment. NSF has introduced several new concepts, including the Award Manager and Proposal Search, into Research.gov Labs, Research.gov's new electronic test kitchen where staff can experiment with concepts under development by Research.gov or other NSF colleagues for the Desktop.

In addition to providing tools for staff, the Desktop provides easy access to Research.gov's publically-available services, including Research Spending & Results, Policy Library, News and Events, and the new Science, Engineering, & Education Innovation (SEE Innovation) service.



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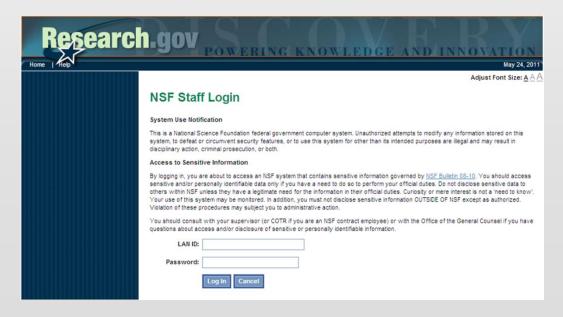
To access the Desktop:



Navigate to www.research.gov/desktop.



Log in using your NSF LAN ID and Password.





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After logging in you will be taken to the Research.gov Desktop. You can begin using Desktop services by selecting the link to the service from the left-hand navigation.



To access the Desktop, you must be on the NSF internal network or signed into your Remote Desktop through Access NSF or AccessWorkspace.